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THE NEWS OF THE WEEK.

A Daily Resume of Important Happenings.

SEPTEMBER 25.

The Lohigh Valley Coal Company has issued orders closing all of its twenty collieries on Saturday.

Because of the high price the Director of the Mint is refusing all offers of silver for Philippine coinage account.

Sixty aged warriors attended the annual reunion of the Mexican Veterans' Association of Kentucky at Richmond yesterday.

November 10 next is the date fixed on which 750,000 acres of ceded Chippewa lands will be declared open for settlement.

The disbursements of the Pension Agency in Washington, D. C. for the last quarter show an increase over the corresponding period in 1902.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis is seriously ill at Buffalo, N. Y. She was stricken while returning to New York from Fort Colborne, Ont. where she had been spending the summer.

Col. Hols and his Salvation Army brigade, who have been traversing the mountains of Kentucky, passed into Virginia yesterday. They believe much good has been accomplished on the trip.

The commercial treaty between the United States and China has been completed and is ready, as scheduled, for signature, on October 8. It is believed to be a more advantageous treaty than was negotiated with China by Great Britain.

The suits brought against the Southern, Mobile and Ohio, Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis and Tennessee Central Railroad companies for organization taxes by the State Auditor have been compromised. The State will get \$100,000, besides the railroad companies paying all costs and attorney's fees. Other foreign corporations may soon pursue a similar course.

Yesterday was a blue day on the New York Stock Exchange, every active stock on the list showing a decline. The Morgan stocks were the weakest on the list, preferred steel trust shares declining four and a half points and making a new low record. One explanation of the slump is that many of the subscribers have decided to retire from the bond conversion syndicate and not to participate in the auction offered by Morgan & Co.

SEPTEMBER 26.

It is reported at Pittsburgh that a movement has begun looking to a settlement of the production of pig iron, beginning October 1.

The commission appointed by President Roosevelt to investigate conditions at the Ellis Island immigration Bureau has entered upon its duties.

James Wilkerson quarreled with his wife at Columbus, Ind. She shot him in the chest with a .38 Smith & Wesson revolver. Wilkerson shot the woman through the head and killed her.

and party William S. Mills committed suicide. He was in Nashville, Tenn., by taking morphine. He was money order clerk for the Southern Express Company and was checked up short \$300.

The Republican State Campaign Committee has announced that former Gov. W. O. Bradley will speak in Larue county on October 30 if Mr. Bradley's "health will permit."

Distribution of products was discussed at length yesterday in the National Farmers' Congress. There is a strong sentiment among the delegates in favor of reciprocity with Canada on farm products.

Close political friends of Dr. W. Godfrey Hunter announce authoritatively that he is a candidate for the Republican nomination.

tion for Congress in the Eleventh district, to succeed the late Vincent Borling.

There is no actual change in the Bulgarian situation, though feeling at Sofia is less hopeful. A meeting of Macedonian separatists at Ratschuk has declared for war and revolutionary circles it is the belief that war is imminent unless Turkey stops the massacre of Christians.

Curtis Jett has objected very strongly to being sent to the Lexington Jail and Judge Osborne said yesterday he probably would order the condemned man sent to Mayville for safekeeping. The court will pass sentence on Friday and the order of transfer will then be made. Tom Cuckrill before leaving Cynthiana declared that he would return to the mountains and run down the other men implicated in the murder of his brother.

Good crowds greeted Gov. Beckham and Congressman James at Frenchburg, Reel and Hazel Green. Fully 400 people crowded the Christian church at Hazel Tuesday night to hear the speakers. At Hazel Green yesterday there was a large and enthusiastic audience. At 3:30 o'clock the Governor and party started on their journey to West Liberty, Morgan county, where a grand rally will be held today.

SEPTEMBER 27.

While the State Fair from an exhibition standpoint is a great success, yet from a financial point of view it will be a failure.

Efforts are being made by both sides to compromise the suit brought by the Commonwealth of Kentucky against the Southern Pacific Company for over \$100,000 back taxes.

Whitehall, the home of the late Cassius Marcellus Clay, has been placed on the market by the heirs. If not disposed of privately, the property, it is said, will be sold at public auction.

A special train was run over the Monon route from Chicago to French Lick Springs yesterday, a distance of 290 miles, at the rate of a mile a minute. The cost had the right of way and cost \$500.

Clifton Branchman was hanged at Wise, Va., yesterday for murdering his wife about two years ago. He had been a desperate character in Eastern Kentucky for many years, having killed several men in that section.

Judge Osborne passed sentence on Curtis Jett yesterday at Cynthiana, and fixed December 18 as the day of execution. Mr. Blanton, Jett's attorney, offered a motion for a new trial which was overruled and an appeal was asked.

Thomas Caskey was assassinated yesterday morning from ambush on the public road as he was returning to his home from West Liberty, Morgan county. Caskey killed his cousin some time ago and it is thought his death was the result of the affair.

Gov. Beckham and Congressman Ollie James spoke to half the Democratic vote in Elliott county yesterday at Sandy Hook. Both speeches were well received. Mr. James is slightly ill and may have to refrain from speaking for a few days. The party left Sandy Hook in the afternoon by conveyance for Grayson, in Carter county, a Republican stronghold, where a rally will be held today.

SEPTEMBER 28.

The Senate of the Alabama Legislature passed the House bill prohibiting boycotting, blacklists, bans or picketing.

An anarchist named Bartoloni has been arrested at Genoa accused of complicity in a plot to kill King Alfonso, of Spain.

Judge S. W. Hager says more work has been done by the Democratic State Campaign Committee this year than by any previous committee thus far advance of the election.

It is not probable the American warships will be withdrawn from Beirut at an early date. Minister Leishman believes they are having a good effect, and that their withdrawal would bring about a renewal of the riotous conditions that prevailed prior to their advent.

Governor Beckham and Congressman James wound up their week's speaking tour at Grayson, in Carter county, yesterday and came into Louisville last night.

The crowd at Grayson numbered about 1,000. During the week the Governor and party traveled over 100 miles in vehicles and he addressed more than 8,000 people in the strongest Democratic circles in the mountains. Much enthusiasm was aroused.

SEPTEMBER 29.

A strike of 15,000 miners employed by the Pennsylvania Coal and Coke Company is threatened.

President Roosevelt and his family will return to the White House today from their vacation at Oyster Bay.

The cotton crop of Texas is estimated to be only 2,500,000 bales. Insect damage is reported in eighty-nine counties.

Charles Cain, of Oolitic, Ind., was shot and killed at Bedford, Ind., by Frank Dorsey, a restaurant proprietor, after Dorsey had been fatally stabbed by Cain.

Lewis Nixon has announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Mayor of New York. He says the fight must be made on local issues, mainly the reform of the public service.

The military maneuvers will begin at Camp Young today with a skirmish, in which only a portion of the troops assembled will be engaged. Thousands of persons visited the soldiers yesterday.

A wreck on the Southern railway near Danville, Va., of a crew of sixteen men also were killed and seven injured. The train jumped from a trestle seventy-five feet high while running at full speed.

The total deficit of the State Fair, for which the Owensboro guarantors are responsible, will run up to \$125,000. President Dorsey, of the Fair Association, has informed them that it is payable to the Citizens' National Bank of Louisville.

A Dozen Times A Night.

Mr. Owen Dunn, of Benton Ferry, W. Va., writes: "I have had kidney and bladder trouble for years, and it became so bad that I was obliged to get up at least a dozen times a night. I never received any permanent benefit from any medicine until I tried Foley's Kidney Cure. After using two bottles, I am cured." Sold by Louisa Drug Co.

OBITUARY.

Aunt Louisa, wife of Caleb Holbrook, departed this life Sept. 12th, 1903, age 72 years. She was kind and affectionate to all. Had no enemies, was a strict member of the Baptist church. She was an honor to that church and in losing her the church lost one of its brightest members. She was the mother of eleven children, all living.

Children, mother is not dead. She has only gone to live with our blessed Saviour, where there will be no more sickness, pain or sorrow. A precious one from us has gone, a voice we loved is still; a place is vacant in our home which never can be filled. God in his wisdom has recalled the boon his love had given, and though the body molds here, the soul is safe in Heaven.

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THE GREAT SILVERTON TRIO.

One of the Most Extraordinary Features Advertised and Produced by a Circus.

One of the novel acts of the hosts of features composing the versatile performance of the Great Wallace Show is that celebrated Silverton Trio. This is the first season of the Trio in America, as heretofore not an American circus management would pay the salary demanded by them. Other attractions similar to them were to be had, but Mr. Wallace insisted on procuring the original Silverton Trio, as immigrants and counterfeiters were not desired by him.

A cakewalk on a stage is interesting, but a cakewalk on a slender thread of wire stretched high above the ground is astonishing. Quick and true acrobatic work on the ground is attractive, but when it is performed by a trio of acrobats, all acting on one single thread of lofty wire, then it becomes bewildering and mystifying. The celebrated Silverton Trio's aerial wire performances begin where all others leave off. The incredible feats of equitation efficiently amazing and wonderful to justify the assertion that their high wire work can be no better described than to say that their equilibrium acts are the personification of equilibrium.

When they first mount the almost invisible wire, their apparent reckless abandonment to all danger unnerves and frightens the crowd of auditors as they continue to gambol and frolic in the face of danger, so graceful and accurate becomes their execution of their marvelous deeds, that the spell of uneasiness passes from the spectators as they settle down to the thorough enjoyment of the most noteworthy act ever brought to America from Europe, ceasing to apprehend danger or to speculate as to the success of the superhuman efforts of the Trio.

The Great Wallace Show, of which even the famous Silverton Trio is but one of a hundred new features, will give a performance one day only in Louisa, on Saturday, Oct. 10.

A Puzzle Worth Haying.

Dr. G. G. Green, of Woodbury, New Jersey, whose advertisement appears in our paper regularly, will mail to any one sending a two cent stamp to pay postage, one of his new German Syrup and August Flower Puzzles, made of wood and glass, that amuses and perplexes young and old. Although very difficult, it can be mastered. Mention this paper.

New Offices.

The Ticket and Freight Soliciting Departments of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton R. Y., which have been located in the Chamber of Commerce Building, in Cincinnati for the past fifteen years, have removed to the corner of Fifth and Walnut, in the new Traction Building. This building, which is the second of the so-called "Skyscrapers" in that city, is a magnificent one. The location is on the Public Square in the business corner of the city. The offices are furnished in mahogany with tile floor, and contain all modern improvements. The character of the furniture and the magnificent frontage of fifty-five feet on Fifth St., will enable them to show their friends what is now and will likely be for some time, the finest railroad soliciting office in the country.

MILLIONAIRE'S POOR STOMACH. The worn-out stomach of the overfed millionaire is often paralyzed in the public prints as a horrible example of the evils attendant on the possession of great wealth. But millionaires are not the only ones who are afflicted with bad stomachs. The proportion is far greater among the toilers. Dyspepsia and indigestion are rampant among these people, and they suffer far worse torture than the millionaire unless they avail themselves of a standard medicine like Green's August Flower, which has been a favorite household remedy for all stomach troubles for over thirty-five years. August Flower rouses the torpid liver, thus creating appetite and insuring perfect digestion. It tones and vitalizes the entire system and makes life worth living, no matter what your station. Trial bottles, 25c; regular size, 75c.

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Justice to the Mountain People.

The following is an editorial from the Daily Courier-Journal, and will be appreciated by the defamed people of this section.

"It is gratifying to know that the Salvation Army, which has made a pilgrimage from Cleveland to Breathitt county, and proposes to make a campaign through several other mountain counties, is agreeably disappointed in the condition of affairs so far. It evidently expected from the statements current in the Northern press to find savages and a community steeped in ignorance and vice. It is gratifying, therefore, to hear that Capt. Holz, the spiritual and military leader of the band, has a good word to say even of the people of the town of Jackson, the very storm center of Eastern Kentucky. He has been pleased to say that the population there has been greatly misrepresented in point of intelligence and morals. He cannot but disabuse the public mind, wherever his words reach, of the injustice done, not only to the mountain people, but to those of the whole State. Few non-residents, who get their impressions from the press, know anything of our geographical divisions, and in reading of violence in any part of Kentucky they charge it to the State as an entirety. In this way any one who has lately been North or East will have observed the effect it has had in giving us a bad name.

"As far as the people of the State, or its authorities, have, by neglect or indifference, contributed to lawlessness anywhere, they should bear their portion of the blame. And it is no sufficient defense of a country like Breathitt to say that it is lawless because its good people are intimidated by its bad people. But that such blame should extend to other than the immediate locality, or to the criminal guilt of the violence is unjust. Especially is it an act of injustice to the great body of the mountain people, who are free from the crimes which degrade humanity than any similar number of people in other States. Even the feudal tendency is limited, both in area and the number who invite to crime. The occurrence of such outbreaks or of other lawless acts only proves that crime exists there, as everywhere, and should not involve the whole community, any more than crime in the slums of a large city should involve the reputation of the great body of law-abiding citizens.

"Mr. Holz and his associates cannot travel in any strictly rural country where they will be received with more respectful courtesy or be treated with more genuine hospitality. The houses of all will be open to them and, however humble the accommodation, it will be an exception if they find their hosts willing to accept pay for their entertainment. Guides will volunteer to show them the way, if necessary, and their pocket-books will not only be safe, but if one should be dropped and found the finder will, it need be, follow twenty miles to restore it. And so as to other characteristics which mark them as worthy of a better name than has been ascribed to them. As in all communities, bad liquor may lead in some cases to bad conduct, even to the shedding of blood, but it is as exceptional as in cities of the best general reputation. Public sentiment in the mountains is against intemperance, and the local option law is in force in nearly every county. And so of crime generally. It is the exception, and not the rule, and especially to feudal disturbances. So that if the march of the Salvation Army shall be conducted in the spirit of its mission, it cannot but be fraught with good in revealing the true condition of the mountain region and correcting the widespread prejudice against its people.

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	Peach Orchard	10 54
1 30:35	Richardson	10 37:52
1 40:35	Georges Cr.	10 27:43
1 45:35	Kiss	10 24:38
1 55:30	Gallip	10 18:28
1 58:35	Chapman	10 10:23
2 04:35	Torchlight	10 04:20
2 10:35	Tunnel Sid.	9 58:15
2 17:15	Edies	9 52:09
2 25:30	Louisa	9 50:05
2 37:29	Potter	9 28:51
2 39:31	Fuller	9 26:54
2 43:30	Catalpa	9 23:44
2 49:41	Currant	9 20:39
2 56:45	Buchanan	9 19:32
3 00:52	Kavanaugh	9 15:28
3 05:57	Burgess	9 10:23
3 10:52	Lockwood	9 05:18
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